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File S. F. 16282

HARRIS County

SCHOOL LAND

Rayford M. Burrows
(Applicant)

Acres

Section No.

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Act of June 19, 1939

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Bob Armstrong
Bob Armstrong Commissioner

Obligation

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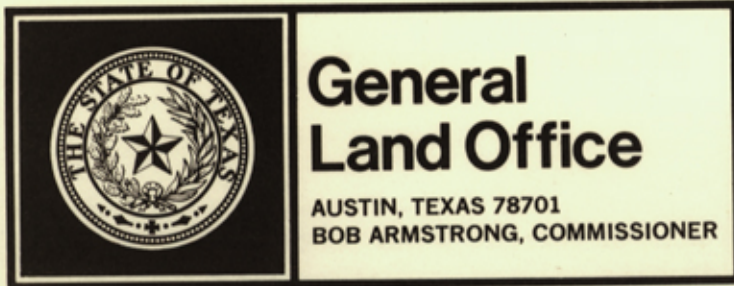
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February 12, 1971

REQUEST FOR SURVEYORS' ESTIMATES

There has been filed in the General Land Office by Mr. Rayford M. Burrows, of Pasadena, Texas, an application to purchase under the provisions of Article 5421c, V.A.C. S., a certain alleged unsurveyed land situated in Harris County, Texas, described as follows:

"Situated in Harris County, Texas, about 14 miles southeast from Houston, the county seat, and is bounded as follows, to-wit:

"On the north and east by boundary lines of South Houston Gardens No. 4, (Day Land & Cattle Company Survey No. 2, A-1042;

"On the south by the north line of W. C. R.R. Co. Survey No. 6, A-1064; and

"On the west by the east line of Thos. Gault Survey, A-1312."

According to the provisions of Article 5421c, the Commissioner of the General Land Office must submit to the applicant an estimate of the cost of the proceedings under his application. The cost of surveying is included therein. The surveyor chosen for the work by the Commissioner will be paid from funds deposited in the General Land Office by the applicant. An impartial survey and report disclosing the actual facts as they exist on the ground is desired. All recognized existing corners affecting the existence or non-existence of a vacancy should be shown, and all work must tie to accepted points.

The application of Mr. Burrows was filed in the General Land Office February 10, 1971. Under the law, 120 days from the date of filing the application are allowed for the filing of field notes, plat and surveyor's report showing the results of the survey. The report should state the names and post office addresses of all persons found by the surveyor to have or claim interest therein. The plat submitted should be drawn upon tracing cloth and be sufficiently large

REQUEST FOR SURVEYORS' ESTIMATES

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in size to use in the event a hearing is held and such plat should indicate all known lines of occupation within the area, including all fences.

Upon the written request of the surveyor appointed to do the work, an extension of time not to exceed 60 days may be granted for the completion of the survey work and the filing of the necessary instruments.

It is requested that you study this matter and submit to this office an estimate of the charge you would make if you were appointed surveyor. Your estimated costs should take into consideration your costs in filing field notes and plat in both the County Surveyor's records and in the General Land Office, expenses you might incur in procuring a working sketch or any other materials from this office, and your necessary presence as a witness at a 1-day hearing to be held in Austin. Please include also your daily charge for days in excess of one should the hearing require your presence for more than one day.

Your estimate should be submitted in an envelope plainly marked "Surveyor's Estimate - S.F. 16282." All such estimates will remain sealed upon receipt until March 15, at which time a surveyor will be selected.

The surveyor selected will not be required to sign a contract for an exact amount, but will furnish to the Commissioner of the General Land Office a weekly progress report, along with the weekly costs incurred in the survey work.

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,



Bob Armstrong

BA:lr

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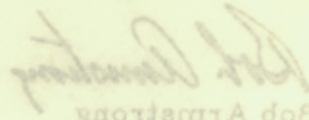
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Request for Surveyor's Estimate

2-12-71

INTERESTED PARTIES

S. F. 16282

First City National Bank
c/o Mizell
Suite 723, 7434 Maple Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75235

John S. Dunn
921 Carblin
Houston, Texas 77002

Applicant

Surveyor

No Charge:

1 - Attorney General - Sandlin

1 - J. D. Freeman, 1013 Brazos Street, Austin, Texas

10 - Humble Oil & Refining Company

1 - File

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List of Interested Parties

2-16-71

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in Charge:

- Attorney General - Sandlin

- J. D. Freeman, 1013 Brazos Street, Austin, Texas

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c/o Mizell
First City National Bank

S. F. 16282

INTERESTED PARTIES

May 5, 1971

Mr. Rayford M. Burrows
2908 Peach Lane
Pasadena, Texas 77504

Dear Mr. Burrows:

By letter dated March 22, 1971, you were requested to submit for deposit in the Trustee Account of the General Land Office the sum of \$7,000 to cover the estimated cost of completing your application to purchase alleged unsurveyed land in Harris County, No. S. F. 16282. You were advised that thirty days from the date of the letter were allowed by law for the submission of the deposit.

Because of your failure to make the necessary remittance within this period, all rights under your application have been lost; and the file wrapper containing the papers relative to the application has been endorsed as follows: "Void for failure to remit deposit within time required by law, 5-4-71."

Sincerely yours,

Bob Armstrong

By: Jack Giberson
Chief Clerk

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Let to Applicant

5-4-71

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April 2, 1971

Mr. Rayford M. Burrows
2908 Peach Lane
Pasadena, Texas 77504

Dear Mr. Burrows:

This is in reply to your recent letter concerning the deposit requested in connection with surveying an alleged vacant area in Harris County.

Surveying estimates submitted by Licensed State Land Surveyors and County Surveyors who were contacted by the General Land Office for this purpose ranged as high as \$12,500. These estimates were made by men with a great deal of experience in the field of surveying and especially in surveying vacant land. It is not the intention of this office to be unreasonable in asking for deposits that will not be used, but before awarding a contract to a surveyor we must be reasonably sure that sufficient money will be made available by the applicant to offset the cost of the survey work. Any money not used for expenses incurred by the surveyor would, of course, be returned as stated in our letter of March 22. Most competent surveyors today charge a minimum of \$150 to \$200 a day for a surveying crew, plus necessary office work and the expense of appearing in Austin for a hearing.

Before you consider this vacancy further, I call your attention to Article 5305a, V.C.S., which makes it most difficult, if not impossible, for a vacancy to exist within the corporate city limits of a city or town. If you desire to pursue this matter further, we will be glad to co-operate with you.

Sincerely yours,
Bob Armstrong

By: Jack Giberson
Chief Clerk
JG:lr

S. F. 16282

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His to Applicant

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3403 Spencer Highway
Pasadena, Texas 77504
Phone: Bus.: Area Code—713 944-5900
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Ray Burrows
Account Agent

March 24, 1971

Mr. Jack Giberson, Chief Clerk
General Land Office
Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. Giberson:

I am in receipt of your letter dated March 22, 1971 wherein you stated the deposit of \$7000.00 would be required for the estimated cost of surveying the land as described in my application to purchase No. S. F. 16282.

In view of the amount set forth in your letter, I would like some clarifications.

I would like to know if the \$7000.00 figure is by some chance a typographical error - or if this figure includes the price of the land along with the surveying of same - or if this astronomical figure is just for surveying the land alone. If this is the case, \$7000.00 for just the surveying and proving out vacancy, I would like to know what you will do with the excess of \$6100.00 to \$6400.00, and why you would need this kind of money on deposit.

I have checked with the six licensed surveyors in this area - those listed in the yellow pages - and they have given me firm price quotes for surveying this land and proving out vacancy ranging in cost from \$600.00 to \$900.00. As opposed to your figure of \$7000.00 for surveying and proving out vacancy, please advise me immediately so I can pursue this through other channels, if necessary.

I feel in view of firm price quotes of such lesser figures, that your \$7000.00 request is ridiculous - if this is really the case as set forth in your letter and not a typographical error.

Very truly yours,

Rayford M. Burrows
✓ Rayford M. Burrows
✓ 2908 Peach Lane
✓ Pasadena, Texas 77504

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3403 Spencer Highway
Pasadena, Texas 77504
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Fax: (713) 944-5810

Ray Burrows
Account Agent

March 24, 1971

Mr. Jack Burrows, 2401 12th
Ave., Dallas, Texas 75201

Letter from Applicant
3-29-71
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S. F. 16282

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As in receipt of your letter dated March 22, 1971 wherein you stated the deposit of \$2000.00 was required for the estimated cost of surveying the land as described in my application to purchase No. S. F. 16282.

The amount set forth in your letter, I would like some clarification.

I am to know if the \$2000.00 figure is by some chance a typographical error - this figure includes the price of the land along with the surveying of same - this is not the case. The \$2000.00 figure is for the surveying and proving out vacancy, I would like to know what you will do with the excess of \$2100.00 to \$2400.00, and why you would need this kind of money on deposit.

I have checked with the six licensed surveyors in this area - those listed in the yellow pages - and they have given me five price quotes for surveying this land and proving out vacancy ranging in cost from \$600.00 to \$900.00. As opposed to your figure of \$2000.00 for surveying and proving out vacancy, please advise me immediately as to how you arrived at your estimate.

I feel in view of the price quotes of such lesser figures, that your \$2000.00 request is unreasonable - If this is really the case as set forth in your letter and not a typographical error.

Very truly yours,

Ray Burrows
Ray Burrows
2403 Park Lane
Pasadena, Texas 77504

MAILED
MAR 29 1971
General Land Office

March 22, 1971

Mr. Rayford M. Burrows
2908 Peach Lane
Pasadena, Texas 77504

Dear Mr. Burrows:

It has been estimated that the cost of surveying the area in Harris County, described in your application to purchase No. S. F. 16282, will be in the approximate amount of \$7,000.

You are hereby requested to submit for deposit in the Trustee Account of the General Land Office the sum of \$7,000 to cover the estimated cost of completing your application to purchase. Should this deposit prove to be insufficient, an additional amount will be required. Any sums remaining on deposit after completion of the application will be returned to you.

Under the law, your deposit must be made within thirty days of the date of this letter or all rights under the application will be lost. It is suggested that you submit the required amount at an early date in order that the surveyor may be appointed and instructed to begin his work.

Sincerely yours,

Bob Armstrong

By: Jack Giberson
Chief Clerk

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Deposit for

Deposit

3-22-71

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February 11, 1971

Mr. Rayford M. Burrows
2908 Peach Lane
Pasadena, Texas 77504

Dear Mr. Burrows:

Your application to purchase alleged unsurveyed land in Harris County was filed in the General Land Office February 10, 1971, and assigned file No. S. F. 16282.

I shall contact surveyors in the vicinity of the alleged vacancy in an effort to determine the estimated cost of completing your application. When these estimates have been received, you will be advised and requested to place on deposit in the General Land Office a sum estimated to be sufficient to cover the cost of completing your application. Upon the receipt of your deposit, the surveyor will be appointed and instructed to begin his work.

After the surveyor's report has been filed in the General Land Office, a public hearing will be held on the question of the existence or non-existence of the alleged vacancy. The surveyor will be requested to be present in order to explain his work, and any interested party may submit additional information regarding the question of the vacancy. After the hearing, your application will be taken under consideration and if approved, you will be permitted to purchase the land at the price fixed by the School Land Board, provided no Good Faith Claimant exercises his preference right to purchase.

Sincerely yours,

Bob Armstrong

By:
Jack Giberson
Chief Clerk

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He. to Applicant

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Ray Burrows
Account Agent

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[Handwritten signature]

February 9, 1971

General Land Office
Austin, Texas 78701

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith you will please find a copy of duly acknowledged Application to Purchase or Lease of State School Land, having been received and recorded by R. A. Washburn, County Surveyor of Harris County, which is submitted to your office for further handling.

My personal check in the amount of One Hundred Dollars, (\$100.00), is attached as filing fee.

Yours very truly,

Rayford M. Burrows

✓ Rayford M. Burrows
2908 Peach Lane
✓ Pasadena, Texas

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General Land Office

APPLICATION TO PURCHASE OR LEASE

(Applicant)

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

1. I hereby apply to purchase or lease the following described area, believed to be unsurveyed land belonging to the public free school fund, under the provisions of an Act approved June 19, 1939, and other laws relating to the sale of unsurveyed school land.

2. If such area is more than five (5) miles from a well producing oil and/or gas in commercial quantities,

I prefer to purchase (insert the word **purchase** or the word **lease**) same, it being understood that if such area is within five (5) miles of a well producing oil and/or gas in commercial quantities, it is subject to lease only to any person other than a Good Faith Claimant.

3. The said tract of land is situated in Harris County, Texas, about 14 miles southeast from Houston, the county seat, and is bounded as follows, to-wit:

On the north and east by boundary lines of South Houston Gardens No. 4, (Day Land & Cattle Co. Survey No. 2, A-1042;

On the south by the north line of W. C. R. R. Co. Survey No. 6, A-1064; and

On the west by the east line of Thos. Gault Survey, A-1312.

4. The names and addresses of all owners or claimants of said land, or any interest therein, and of leases of every character thereon, adjoining, overlapping or including the said land, as ascertained from the records of the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, from the office of the County Clerk and the tax rolls of

Harris County, and from facts known to applicant, are as follows, to-wit:

On the east and west by property in the name of First City National Bank, c/o Mizell, Suite 723, 6434 Maple Ave., Dallas, Texas, 75235, Tr. 1438, C. M. Dow);

On the south by property in the name of John S. Dunn et al, 921 Caroline, Houston, Texas, 77002; and

On the north by a dedicated county road, being the most southerly east-west road along a southern boundry by South Houston Gardens, No. 4

I do not have any knowledge of any claimants other than those listed.

Rayford M. Burnow

Applicant

2908 Peach Lane, Pasadena, 77502, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 4th day of February, A. D. 1971.

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I, R. A. Washburn, County Surveyor of Harris

County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing application was filed for record on the 5th day of February, 1971, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Vol. 13, Page 14, in Surveyor's Office Harris County, Texas.

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4:00 P.M.
FEB 10 1971

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General Land Office

R. A. Washburn
R. A. Washburn
County Surveyor, Harris County, Texas

FEB 10 1971

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

- (1) The application to purchase or lease must first be filed in duplicate with the County Surveyor of the county in which any part of the land is situated accompanied by a filing fee of Five (\$5.00) Dollars.
- (2) One copy of the application, showing the exact hour and date of filing with the County Surveyor, accompanied by a filing fee of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, must be filed with the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, within ten days after the date of filing with the County Surveyor.

CERTIFICATE

I, _____, Secretary of the School Land Board, do hereby certify that at a regular meeting of said board held in the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, on the _____ day of _____, A. D. 19____, the price at which the area of land described in the above application No. _____, shall be sold or leased, was fixed by the School Land Board at _____ Dollars per acre, all of which is shown in Vol. _____, Page _____ of the Minutes of said Board.

Given under my hand this the _____ day of _____, A. D. 19____, at Austin, Texas.

779-1252 2M

Secretary of the School Land Board

GENERAL LAND OFFICE

Austin, Texas

S. F. No. 162482

M. A. No.

M. F. No.

APPLICATION TO PURCHASE OR LEASE
UNSURVEYED SCHOOL LAND

(Applicant)

Raiford M. Burnett
President

_____ acres
in *Wharton* County, Texas.

Filed *2-10-71*, A. D. 1971

Commissioner

Approved _____, 19____
Rejected _____

Commissioner

as follows, to-wit:

_____ from _____ the county seat, and is bounded
_____ County, Texas, about _____ miles

1. The said tract of land is situated in _____
_____ feet to lease only to any person other than a Good Faith Claimant.
such area is within five (5) miles of a well producing oil and/or gas in commercial quantities, it is sub-
ject to purchase (insert the word purchase or the word lease) same, it being understood that it

2. If such area is more than five (5) miles from a well producing oil and/or gas in commercial quantities,
relating to the sale of unsurveyed school land.

3. I hereby apply to purchase or lease the following described area, believed to be unsurveyed land belong-

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

(Applicant)

APPLICATION TO PURCHASE OR LEASE